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Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Department of Posts propose to provide speed net in all 120 National Speed Post Centres for tracking speed post and the express post articles through internet;

(b) if so, the time by which these Post Centres are likely to start functioning; and

(c) the extent to which these are likely to be helpful to the common people?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS (SHRI TAPAN SIKDAR)

(a) Yes, Sir.

(b) & (c): The Department has developed a tracking system called `Speednet` and it is under testing at present. The system would be very useful to the customers in tracking their Speed Post articles on-line through internet. Speednet will be implemented in all 120 National Speed Post Centres; once the testing is completed.